

Privacy Office, Mail Stop 0655

June 25, 2013

Tom Nash MuckRock News Department MR 2828 P.O. Box 55819 Boston, MA 02205-5819

Re: 2013-HQFO-00743

Dear Mr. Nash:

This acknowledges receipt of your June 13, 2013, Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request to the Department of Homeland Security (DHS), seeking the following records: 1.) The successful grant application the Seattle Police Department submitted to the Department of Homeland Security for buying drones, given in 2010; 2.) The successful grant application the Seattle Police Department submitted for buying drones; Any memoranda of understanding between DHS and the Seattle Police Department for the use of funds - any agreements about how the funds are to be spent, data sharing, and any other grant requirements; 3.) request for proposals or call for applications for the funds give to the Seattle Police Department. Your request was received in our office on June 14, 2013.

Upon initial review of your request, I have determined that the information you are seeking is under the purview of the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). Therefore, I am referring your request to the FOIA Officer for FEMA, Terry Cochran, for processing and direct response to you. You may contact that office in writing at Federal Emergency Management Agency; 500 C Street, S.W., Room 840; Washington, DC 20472 or via telephone at 202-646-3323.

If you need to contact this office again concerning your request, please refer to **2013-HQFO-00743**. This office can be reached at 866-431-0486.

Sincerely,

Amy Pugh

Senior FOIA Program Specialist



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MEMORANDUM FOR: Terry Cochran, FOIA Officer

Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)

FROM: Amy Pugh

Senior FOIA Program Specialist

SUBJECT: **2013-HQFO-00743**

Attached is a Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request received at the DHS FOIA Office on June 14, 2013. The requester is seeking the following records: 1.) The successful grant application the Seattle Police Department submitted to the Department of Homeland Security for buying drones, given in 2010; 2.) The successful grant application the Seattle Police Department submitted for buying drones; Any memoranda of understanding between DHS and the Seattle Police Department for the use of funds - any agreements about how the funds are to be spent, data sharing, and any other grant requirements; 3.) request for proposals or call for applications for the funds give to the Seattle Police Department.

Upon review of the request, I have determined that, if such records exist, they would be under your purview. Therefore, I am transferring this request to your office for action. Please respond directly to the requester.

The requester has been notified of this transfer. A copy of the transmittal letter is attached.